GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS
LOK SABHA

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MARINE MANGO PROJECT IN MUMBAI
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Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government have received any proposal from Peoples` representatives regarding Marine Mango Project in Mumbai;

(b) whether his Ministry has studied the proposal and if so, the observations thereof;

(c) whether about three thousand acres of salt land comes under CRZ zone can be used for this project;

(d) if so, whether his Ministry has taken up issue with Urban and Industry Ministry; and

(e) the response of the concerned Ministries?

Answer

MINISTER OF ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS (SHRI T.R. BAALU)

(a) Ministry of Environment and Forests has received a proposal from `People`s Representative` for creation of a Marine Mangrove Park at Mumbai.

(b), (c), (d) & (e) Since the matter vests with the State Government the proposal was forwarded to the Chief Conservator of Forests and Chief Wildlife Warden, Maharashtra for consideration.